

## Todd M. Cameron

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**From:** Charles Miller [ltcolcwmiller@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 30, 2012 6:28 PM  
**To:** Todd M. Cameron  
**Subject:** Fwd: Mission 12-M-0456

Todd,

Are you up to putting a base together with staffing? I will be out of town that weekend and not able to participate.

Charlie

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Date: Mon, Jul 30, 2012 at 12:02 PM  
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Cc: Darren Cioffi <[majcioffi@optonline.net](mailto:majcioffi@optonline.net)>, Alan Gibbs <[majgibbscap@gmail.com](mailto:majgibbscap@gmail.com)>

ALCON:

As mentioned previously, the weekend of 10-12 August is the biennial GTE where we are observed by USAF and evaluated on a "pass/fail" basis. Activities on Friday the 10th will begin at 1600 and will be primarily for planning and creating the sorties as determined by the taskings received at the mission base level. Saturday will be a full operational day with actual sorties, and demob planned for 1700 LCL. As of now, there is nothing scheduled for Sunday 12 Aug.

This year will be slightly different as this will also be a Tri-Wing exercise involving NY, NJ and PA. Utilization of a Region Area Command (located in NH) will also be incorporated into this exercise.

I have been assigned as the NYW Area Command IC, with Maj Alan Gibbs as the NYW Area Command PSC, and all mission base IC's in NYW will be dealing directly with us (at Long Island Mission Base). More specific information will be disseminated once IC's and Mission Bases are established and we have received notification of such.

We do need to know immediately what Groups are able to stand a full mission base, and who the IC's will be for those bases. Please notify me ASAP with a cc: to Maj Cioffi and Maj Gibbs ([majcioffi@optonline.net](mailto:majcioffi@optonline.net) and [majgibbscap@gmail.com](mailto:majgibbscap@gmail.com)). It will then become incumbent upon those IC's to create their Mission Base Staff and organize their air and ground crews in advance. All taskings will be sent to the IC's by Friday, 10 Aug for this purpose. Initially tasked air crews and ground teams need to be launched no more than 1/2 hr after the beginning of the operational period on Saturday, 11 Aug. Sorties MUST be entered in WMIRS on Friday in preparation for immediate launching Saturday morning. According to Maj Cioffi (NYWDOS), aircrews not ready to launch w/in 30 minutes of the start of the operational period on Saturday will need to be replaced. One of our biggest problems is the extensive delay in launching aircrews and ground teams.

I thank you all in advance for your cooperation. If there are any specific taskings you feel should be accomplished for your particular area, please let me know (again, with a cc; to Maj Cioffi and Maj Gibbs) so that we can try to accomodate. The scenario is based on the typical weather we ahve been having....extensive dryness followed by severe storms, flooding and tornados.

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